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wherein crossover points of the first electrodes and the second electrodes, opposed to each other, inside the liquid crystal element constitute respective pixels, and the transparent portions of the transflective layer are provided at positions corresponding to the respective pixels.

Please AMEND the claim 19 as follows:

19. (Amended) A transflective liquid crystal display device according to claim 3, wherein a protective film formed of a transparent and insulating material is installed between the transflective layer and the first electrodes, on the first substrate of the liquid crystal element.

Please AMEND the claim 20 as follows:

20. (Amended) A transflective liquid crystal display device according to claim 14, wherein a protective film formed of a transparent and insulating material is installed between the transflective layer and the first electrodes, on the first substrate of the liquid crystal element.